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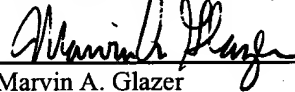
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.99, the undersigned attorney, who is a member of the public, hereby submits the materials listed below relative to the pending, published patent application identified above. The materials listed below are believed to be relevant to the pending, published patent application identified above.

This Submission is accompanied by payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p), namely, the amount of \$180.00.

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<u>Patent</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Inventor(s)</u>
U.S. Patent No. 5,995,947	11/30/99	9/12/97	Fraser, et al.

Non-Patent Art

<u>Reference</u>	<u>Publication Date</u>	<u>Other Information</u>
The Debt Trader.Com web page	11/28/99	Affidavit (Declaration) of Molly Davis executed 4/12/04 authenticating attached printout of the web page at URL address http://www.noteandpapertrader.com/index.html archived on 11/28/99

A copy of the '947 Fraser, et al. patent, and a notarized copy of the Molly Davis Affidavit (Declaration) executed 4/12/04 with attached printout of web page at URL address <http://www.noteandpapertrader.com/index.html> archived on 11/28/99, are enclosed herewith.

A service copy of this Submission, along with service copies of the references listed above, are being served concurrently herewith upon counsel for Robert A. Morris, by Federal Express overnight delivery, freight pre-paid, to:

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This submission is being filed after the two-month period specified in Rule 1.99(e). However, the undersigned attorney could not have submitted the enclosed materials to the Patent Office at an earlier date, as the undersigned attorney was not aware of the published Morris application until just a few weeks ago. The undersigned attorney represents a client, who prefers to remain anonymous, and who filed a patent application for somewhat related subject matter. Such client is considering whether to request expedited examination of a pending patent application filed by such client; in the course of conducting a novelty search preliminary to such a request for


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expedited examination, our client discovered 1) the published Morris application; 2) the enclosed '947 patent to Fraser, et al., and 3) the web page published by "The Debt Trader.Com"; all just a few weeks ago. Therefore, such materials could not have been submitted to the Patent Office earlier.

Since this submission is not being filed within two months of the initial publication date of the Morris patent application, this submission is also accompanied by the processing fee of \$130.00 set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i). A check in the amount of \$310.00 (which includes \$180.00 for the §1.17(p) fee, and \$130.00 for the §1.17(i) fee, accompanies this Submission.

Respectfully submitted,

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